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1. ACCORDING TO FINNISH STATUTE 484, SECTION 18 (DATED JUNE 8, 1972), THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL PROTECTION FOR THE OPERATION OF NUCLEAR FACILITIES UNDER THE PARIS CONVENTION ON THIRD PARTY LIABILITY FOR NUCLEAR DAMAGE IS 42 MILLION FINNMARKS (ABOUT 11 MILLION DOLLARS).

2. THE FINNISH COUNCIL OF STATE HAS THE RIGHT TO DECREASE THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF REQUIRED FINANCIAL PROTECTION FOR THE OPERATION OF NUCLEAR FACILITIES OF 21 MILLION FINNMARKS DEPENDING ON THE SIZE AND TYPE OF NUCLEAR PLANT AND THE EXTENT OF TRANSPORTATION OF NUCLEAR SUBSTANCES.

3. OFFICIAL AT FINNISH MINISTRY OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY TOLD EMBOFF THAT THE AMOUNT OF FINANCIAL PROTECTION FOR THE OPERATION OF NUCLEAR FACILITIES IS SIMILAR IN OTHER SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES ACCORDING TO UNOFFICIAL AGREEMENT MADE IN THE LATE 1960'S.

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